



Charlotte County Government
Board of County Commissioners
Boater Revolving Fund Grant Application

Fiscal Year 2024 (10/1/2023 to 9/30/2024) – Application Deadline 1/31/2023

Name of Organization: CIVIL AIR PATROL, Charlotte County Composite SQ, FL-251

Principal Officer: CAPT. THOMAS A. HANSEN Title: COMMANDER

Organization Address: 28000 A-21 AIRPORT ROAD, PUNTA GORDA, FL 33982-2452

Primary Contact: TOM HANSEN Title: COMMANDER

Telephone Number: 239-707-5588 Email: THOMAS.HANSEN@FLWGCAP.US

Any project for which funds are requested must have a public purpose, and must apply to one or more of the following categories: (select applicable categories)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Waterway Management | <input type="checkbox"/> Marine Debris Removal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Marine Law Enforcement | <input type="checkbox"/> Dredging |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Boater Recreation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Protection of Marine Life & Aquatic Environment | <input type="checkbox"/> Aids to Navigation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Public Boat Ramps & Launching Facilities | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Boaters' Safety & Education |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Projects for Boater & Waterway Enhancement | |

Project Name: HARBOR PATROL FLIGHTS

Project Description: SEE ATTACHED

Explain how the project benefits the community as a whole: PROVIDES FOR BOATERS' SAFETY by
LOOKING FOR BOATERS in DISTRESS AND MONITORING the condition of the HARBOR.

Total Amount of Grant Funding Requested: 26,250⁰⁰

Total Amount of Matching Funds Applicant is Contributing (if any): 13,640⁰⁰

Boater Safety/Education and Boater Recreation Projects require 50% applicant matching funds. Is Applicant requesting supplemental Local Boater Improvement funds to pay all, or a portion of the 50% required match?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, provide justification. _____

Project Location: Charlotte Harbor AND Tributaries

Estimated Completion Date: 30 SEPT 2024

Are there other sources of funding for this project? OUR MATCHING FUND AMOUNT
IS BASED ON THE FUEL CONTRIBUTED BY OUR PILOTS

Is a permit required for this project? Yes ☐ No ☒ If yes, list each, its type, and status. Attach all permits that have been issued or applied for: _____

Complete attached budget. Attach additional supporting documentation pertinent to your request.

Applicants should be available to the Marine Advisory Committee on the date of review to answer questions regarding the project. Dates of review will be posted on the Charlotte County public website at [Marine Advisory Committee | Charlotte County, FL \(charlottecountyfl.gov\)](https://www.charlottecountyfl.gov/marine-advisory-committee).



Principle Officer or BCC Department Director Signature

23 JAN 2023

Date

THOMAS A. HANSEN

Printed Name

COMMANDER

Title

You may submit your signed application via e-mail to Jim.Darden@CharlotteCountyFL.gov. You may also mail or drop your application off to the following address:

Charlotte County Fiscal Services Division
Attn: Jim Darden
18500 Murdock Circle
Suite B-109
Port Charlotte, FL 33948

Applications must be received by 1/31/2023 at the Fiscal Services Division address to be considered for the FY 2024 grant cycle. Please direct questions regarding this granting opportunity to Jim Darden at 941-764-5532.

Please complete your project's budget:

BUDGET ESTIMATE DETAIL	Grant Funds	Matching Funds ¹	Total
Construction Expenses			
Contractual Services			
Materials			
AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE PAID TO FLORIDA WING of CIVIL AIR PATROL	26,250 ⁰⁰		26250 ⁰⁰
FUEL Supplied By PILOTS		13,440 ⁰⁰	13440 ⁰⁰
Equipment			
MISC EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE		200 ⁰⁰	200 ⁰⁰
Salaries ²			
Promotional Materials			
GRAND TOTAL	26250 ⁰⁰	13,640 ⁰⁰	39,890 ⁰⁰

The budget may be adjusted between categories; however, the scope of the project may not change.

¹ Matching funds are **required** for WCIND Boating Safety/Education and Recreation projects.

² Salaries are eligible toward BIF grants. Salaries allowed for WCIND grant **only** for Law Enforcement projects.

**Charlotte County Civil Air Patrol
28000 Airport Road, Punta Gorda FL 33982**

Charlotte County Boater Revolving Fund Grand Application

Project Description:

Charlotte County Civil Air Patrol can now provide two important services to the Marine Advisory Committee members. We can continue to provide circumnavigation of Charlotte Harbor and its tributaries to locate boaters in distress, gas and oil slicks, changes in water quality or other out of the ordinary sightings.

The second service we can provide is aerial photography. If needed, we have wing mounted cameras that take photos in a variety of formats as well as videos. Our planes are also equipped with a photo window, and we have trained aerial photographers. After the last two hurricanes, FEMA used this capability. We photographed damage around the state of Florida and uploaded thousands of photos to the FEMA website. Photos may be taken during our normal Harbor Patrol flights or as an adjunct to this service.